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To provide that no Federal funds may be expended for the payment or reimbursement of a drug that is prescribed for the treatment of sexual or erectile dysfunction.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 24, 2005

Mr. GRASSLEY (for himself, Mr. LOTT, Mr. SANTORUM, and Mr. ENSIGN) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Prescription Drug Cov-
5 erage Stewardship Act of 2005”.

1 **SEC. 2. NO FEDERAL FUNDS FOR DRUGS PRESCRIBED FOR**
2 **THE TREATMENT OF SEXUAL OR ERECTILE**
3 **DYSFUNCTION.**

4 (a) RESTRICTION.—

5 (1) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other
6 provision of law, no Federal funds may be expended
7 for the payment or reimbursement, including pay-
8 ment or reimbursement under the programs de-
9 scribed in paragraph (2), of a drug that is pre-
10 scribed for the treatment of sexual or erectile dys-
11 function, including for such a drug that is prescribed
12 to an individual who has a conviction for sexual
13 abuse, sexual assault, or any other sexual offense.

14 (2) PROGRAMS DESCRIBED.—The programs de-
15 scribed in this paragraph are the medicaid program,
16 the medicare program, the Federal employees health
17 benefits program, the Defense Health Program, the
18 program of medical care furnished by the Secretary
19 of Veterans Affairs, health related programs admin-
20 istered by the Indian Health Service, health related
21 programs funded under the Public Health Service
22 Act, and any other Federal health program.

23 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—Subsection (a) shall apply to
24 drugs dispensed on or after the date of enactment of this
25 Act.